

June 30, 2022

Dear Union Grove Members, Friends, and Family:

The Wisconsin Department of Health Services reports that Racine County continues to see a higher spread and impact of COVID-19 across our state this week. We ask that you please take precautions to exhibit healthy behaviors in your daily routine while in the community. We are grateful for everyone who is doing their part to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 into our Home.

Since we last updated you on June 27, we have had 3 members and 1 employee test positive for COVID-19. Accounting for all recent recoveries, we currently we have 4 cases of COVID-19 on campus (3 members, 1 employee).

We highly encourage you to get vaccinated and stay up to date with your boosters, as the benefit of the vaccine degrades over time. According to Wisconsin DHS, unvaccinated people are more than twice as likely to be hospitalized due to COVID-19 than people who had received their booster doses, and nearly six times more likely to be hospitalized than people who had received their primary series.

If you are not feeling well, please do not visit until you have had chance to take a COVID-19 test and have fully recovered from your symptoms. If you are planning to visit our campus, all visitors are asked to wear an N95 or KN95 mask when in our buildings and perform a health check assessment upon arriving.

Thank you for your commitment to the health and safety of everyone at our Home.

Sincerely,

Kímberly Storlíe

Kimberly Storlie, LNHA **Deputy Commandant**